TOWN OF HERNDON

Enriching the Quality of Life and Promoting a Sense of Community



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EVENT ANNOUNCEMENT –
TOWN OF HERNDON TO CELEBRATE
400TH ANNIVERSARY OF JAMESTOWN'S FOUNDING

WHAT: Raising of the Official "America's 400th Anniversary" flag commemorating

the founding of Jamestown, VA. Herndon was one of the first Virginia

communities to sign on as a Virginia 2007 Community, joining towns, cities and

communities across the Commonwealth in marking this historic event

WHEN: Tuesday, May 8, 6:45 pm (directly prior to the Town Council Public Hearing)

WHERE: Directly outside of the entrance to the Council Chambers, 765 Lynn Street (in

case of inclement weather, the flag will be placed in a position of honor indoors

at the Council Chambers)

WHO: Mayor Stephen J. DeBenedittis and the Herndon Town Council will be in

attendance. The Treble Clefs, made up of members of the Towne Square

Singers, will perform.

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The Town of Herndon was incorporated by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Virginia on January 14, 1879. Located in western Fairfax County, Herndon is the 3rd largest town in the Commonwealth and is home to more than 23,000 citizens. Businesses located within the Town of Herndon, which range from high tech enterprises to entrepreneurially-owned establishments, employ approximately 23,500 people. In 2006, Herndon was named one of the "best affordable suburbs" in the nation by *Business Week* Magazine.

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